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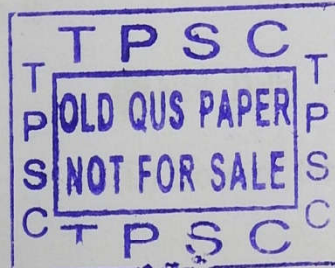
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**TEST BOOKLET
GENERAL ABILITY TEST**

Test Booklet Series

(Signature of the Candidate)

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Time Allowed : 2 hours (Two hours)

Maximum Marks : 100

INSTRUCTIONS

1. IMMEDIATELY AFTER THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE SCREENING TEST, YOU SHOULD CHECK THAT THIS TEST BOOKLET DOES NOT HAVE ANY UNPRINTED OR TORN OR MISSING PAGES OR ITEMS ETC. IF SO, GET IT REPLACED BY A COMPLETE TEST BOOKLET.
2. **ENCODE CLEARLY THE TEST BOOKLET SERIES IN THE APPROPRIATE PLACE IN THE ANSWER SHEET BY BLACK BALL POINT PEN ONLY.**
3. This Test Booklet contains 100 items (questions). Each question carrying 1 (one) mark only, has four responses (answers). You will select the response which you want to mark on the Answer Sheet. In case you feel that there is more than one correct response, mark the response which you consider the most appropriate. In any case, choose **ONLY ONE** response for each item.
4. You have to mark all your responses by **Black Ball Point Pen only** on the separate Answer Sheet provided. See directions in the Answer Sheet.
5. All items carry equal marks.
6. Before you proceed to mark in the Answer Sheet the responses to various items in the Test Booklet, you have to fill in some particulars in the Answer Sheet.
7. After you have completed filling in responses on the Answer Sheet and the Screening Test is completed, you should handover the Answer Sheet to the Invigilator only. You are permitted to take the Test Booklet with you.
8. Sheets for rough work are appended on the Test Booklet at the end.
9. **Penalty for wrong answers :**
 - (a) There will be four alternatives for the answer to every question. For each question for which a wrong answer has been given by the candidate, **one-third** of the marks assigned to that question will be deducted as penalty.
 - (b) If a candidate gives more than one answer, it will be treated as a **Wrong Answer** even if one of the given answers happens to be correct and there will be same penalty as above to that question.
 - (c) If a question is left blank, i.e. no answer is given by the candidate, there will be **no penalty** for that question.

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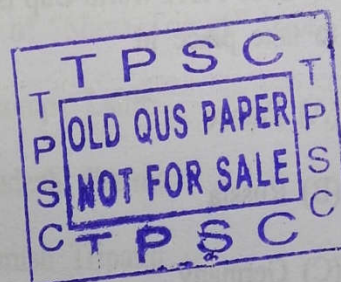
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Four responses are given against each of the following questions. Select the best/correct response from among the four responses and encode in the answer sheet by using **Black Ball Point Pen** only as per example given below :

Example : The capital of India is

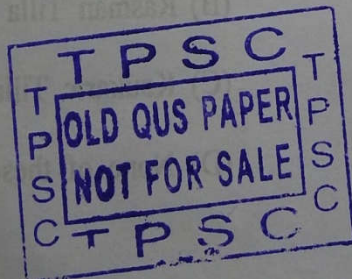
- (A) Delhi (B) New Delhi
(C) Indraprastha (D) None of these

PART - I



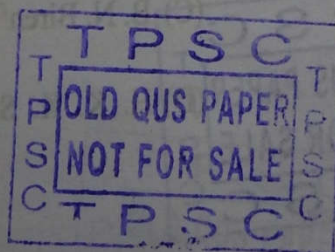
1. The first newspaper of Tripura
(A) Tripura
(B) Varshiki
(C) Dhumketu
(D) Arun
2. Who was famous for the title "Rajarshi" given by Rabindranath Tagore in his novel ?
(A) Maharaja Dhanya Manikya
(B) Maharaja Amar Manikya
(C) Maharaja Govinda Manikya
(D) Maharaja Birchandra Manikya
3. When was the Tribal Research Institute established in Tripura ?
(A) 1970
(B) 1971
(C) 1978
(D) None of these
4. What was the old name of college Tilla ?
(A) Vidhya Pattan
(B) Rasman Tilla
(C) Kaukaric Tilla
(D) None of these

5. Which State Government launched India's first e-ration card service ?
 (A) Mumbai
 (B) Delhi
 (C) Chennai
 (D) Kolkata
6. The 2018 FIFA World Cup is scheduled to take place in
 (A) France
 (B) Russia
 (C) Germany
 (D) Spain
7. Who is the present Secretary General of UNO ?
 (A) Javier Perez de Cuellar
 (B) Antonio Guterres
 (C) Dag Hammarskjold
 (D) Ban Ki Moon
8. Where is the venue for 2018 Asian Games ?
 (A) Japan
 (B) Indonesia
 (C) Tehran
 (D) China
9. Which State Government will launch "Namma Canteens" to serve cheap food ?
 (A) Uttar Pradesh
 (B) Jharkhand
 (C) Assam
 (D) Karnataka
10. What is the first SMS message sent ?
 (A) Hello
 (B) Good Morning
 (C) Merry Christmas
 (D) Happy Birthday
11. Panchayati Raj was introduced in India in October 1959 in
 (A) Rajasthan
 (B) Tamilnadu
 (C) Kerala
 (D) Karnataka
12. What is the full form of YAHOO ?
 (A) Young Author High Oto Olmazest
 (B) Yet Another Hierarchical Official Circle
 (C) Year Anti High Order Ozone
 (D) None of these



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13. Which of the following vitamins is present in the rain water ?
 (A) B.12
 (B) B.10
 (C) B.6
 (D) None of these
14. Which is a natural fertilizer ?
 (A) Urea
 (B) Amonium sulphate
 (C) Amonium nitrate
 (D) Compost
15. Find out the missing term in the following series :
 5, 6, 10, 35, 60, ?
 (A) 70
 (B) 80
 (C) 90
 (D) 96
16. Find out the missing term in the following series : 4, 9, 20, 43, 90, ?
 (A) 100
 (B) 150
 (C) 185
 (D) 205
17. Who is the author of "A Brief History of Time" book ?
 (A) H. G. Wells
 (B) Mark Twai
 (C) Stephen Hawking
 (D) None of them
18. Who amongst the following is the author of "Shiva Trilogy" books ?
 (A) Jhumpa Lahiri
 (B) Sudesh Sharma
 (C) Amish Tripathi
 (D) Diran Desai
19. The Constitution of India came into force on
 (A) 26th January 1950
 (B) 26th January 1952
 (C) 26th November 1949
 (D) 15th August 1947
20. Which one of the following exercised the most profound influence on the Indian Constitution ?
 (A) The Government of India Act, 1935
 (B) The US Constitution
 (C) British Constitution
 (D) The UN Charter



21. How many nominated members are there in TTAADC ?

- (A) 01
- (B) 02
- (C) 04
- (D) None of the above

22. State University is at

- (A) MBB College Complex
- (B) BB College Complex
- (C) Ramthakur College Complex
- (D) Mohanpur College Complex

23. Tripura University has been converted into Central University in the year

- (A) 2007
- (B) 2006
- (C) 2008
- (D) None of these

24. Who is the present Chief Justice of Tripura High Court ?

- (A) T. Vaiphei
- (B) Amitava Roy
- (C) Subhasish Talapatra
- (D) None of them

25. What letter will be printed as the inset letter on RBI introducing Rs.10 notes ?

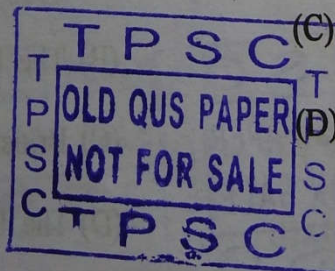
- (A) B
- (B) C
- (C) K
- (D) L

26. Which State Government has made Sanskrit compulsory upto Class VIII in all classes ?

- (A) Uttarakhand
- (B) Karnataka
- (C) Assam
- (D) Rajasthan

27. Who has been sworn in as the new Chief Minister of Manipur on March 15, 2017 ?

- (A) Y. I. Singh
- (B) B. K. Singh
- (C) B. N. Biren Singh
- (D) H. K. K. Singh



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35. There is a demand _____ good teacher.

- (A) for
- (B) of
- (C) to
- (D) None of these

38. Orient

- (A) Occident
- (B) Asia
- (C) East
- (D) None of these

Write the antonym of the following words:

36. Hit

- (A) miss
- (B) cold
- (C) cool
- (D) None of these

39. Fine

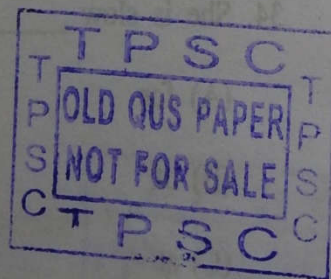
- (A) coarse
- (B) ugly
- (C) smart
- (D) None of these

37. Live

- (A) die
- (B) death
- (C) dead
- (D) None of these

40. Age

- (A) youth
- (B) old
- (C) infant
- (D) peril

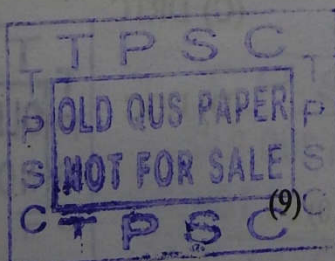


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41. Who is the father of Library Movement in USA?
- (A) F. W. Lancaster
(B) Paul Wasserman
(C) Melvil Dewey
(D) Allen Kent
42. 'Union List' is the record of
- (A) Library members living in a Union Territory
(B) Library Unions located in a Union Territory
(C) Periodicals available in a group of libraries
(D) List of members of a Library Union.
43. All Union Institute for Scientific and Technical Information was established in
- (A) 1952
(B) 1953
(C) 1954
(D) 1956
44. Who is the author of "Subject Catalogue"?
- (A) E. J. Coates
(B) J. Kaiser
(C) C. A. Cutter
(D) J. W. Metcalfe
45. In 1974, Zurkowski used for the first time which of the following term?
- (A) Digital Library
(B) Media Literacy
(C) Computer Literacy
(D) Information Literacy
46. Internet filtering is
- (A) A form of censorship
(B) Acceptable user policy
(C) Access to appropriate material
(D) Blocking internet facility
47. The idea of Thesaurifacet was developed by
- (A) Ganesh Bhattacharya
(B) S. R. Ranganathan
(C) Jea Aitchison
(D) Derek Austin

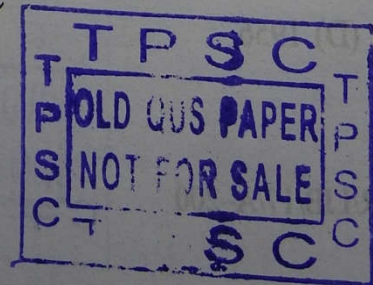
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48. Who is the author of Systematic Indexing ?
- (A) E. J. Coates
(B) J. Kaiser
(C) C. A. Cutter
(D) J. W. Metcalfe
49. Public Library Manifesto was developed by
- (A) Delhi Public Library
(B) UNESCO
(C) RRRLF
(D) IFLA
50. INFROSS is an important study frequently quoted in
- (A) Historical Research
(B) Survey Research
(C) Experimental Research
(D) Legal Research
51. Zipf's Law deals with
- (A) Scattering of articles in a subject
(B) Productivity of authors in terms of scientific papers
(C) Frequency of occurrence of words in a text
(D) Law of book selection
52. "Biotechnology" is formed as a result of
- (A) Fusion
(B) Lamination
(C) Fission
(D) Agglomeration
53. "Internet Public Library" is being maintained by
- (A) MIT, Massachusettes
(B) University of Michigan
(C) University of Arizona
(D) Drexal University
54. "Shodhganga" is a repository of
- (A) E-Resources
(B) E-Thesis
(C) E-Journals
(D) E-Books
55. The first centre to use Computer in the Library and Information activities in India is
- (A) DESIDOC
(B) INSDOC
(C) DRTC
(D) UGC

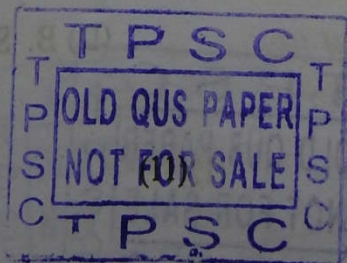
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56. PRECIS was developed by Derek Austin for use in the
- (A) BNB
 - (B) INB
 - (C) ISBD
 - (D) ISBN
57. Classification made the ape a man is pointed by
- (A) A. B. Anderson
 - (B) E. C. Richardson
 - (C) S. R. Ranganathan
 - (D) D. J. Fosket
58. 6th Law of Library Science, "Every Reader his/her freedom" was given by
- (A) K. L. Kruz
 - (B) Prof. A. Neelameghan
 - (C) James R. Retting
 - (D) Prof. Ganesh Bhattacharya
59. Which bibliography determines the correctness when different edition or the same text presents variation in reading ?
- (A) Systematic bibliography
 - (B) Analytical bibliography
 - (C) National bibliography
 - (D) Subject bibliography
60. The "Principle of Literary Warrant" was propounded by
- (A) S. R. Ranganathan
 - (B) W. Hulme
 - (C) Melvil Dewey
 - (D) Derek De Sella Price
61. LA is the Library Association of
- (A) Manipur
 - (B) Andhra Pradesh
 - (C) Great Britain
 - (D) Canada

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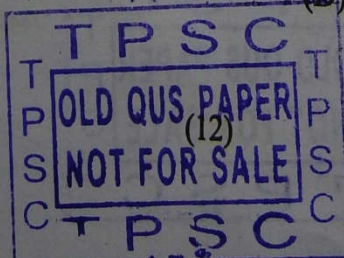
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62. What is the full form of 'IATLIS' ?
- (A) Inter-nation Association of Trade Unions of Library Science
- (B) Indian Association of Teacher of Library and Information Science
- (C) Indian Airlines Technical Lower Intelligence Services
- (D) Indian Air Traffic Light, Information and Signal.
63. Library cess is one of the sources of finance, for which type of libraries ?
- (A) Academic Library
- (B) National Library
- (C) Public Library
- (D) None of these
64. Currently "Science Citation Index" is published by
- (A) Emerald
- (B) Springer
- (C) Thomson
- (D) Elsevier
65. Corollary for Second Law of Library Science is
- (A) Books for all
- (B) Free books service
- (C) Free library service
- (D) Books everywhere
66. "Web of Science" is
- (A) A citation Index
- (B) A bibliography
- (C) An Abstracting service
- (D) All of the above
67. Who among the following honoured with 'Nobel Prize' for his substantial contribution in Documentation ?
- (A) S. C. Bradford
- (B) Loosjes
- (C) Eric De Grolier
- (D) Henri La Fontaine
68. International Information System on Research in Documentation was established by
- (A) IFLA
- (B) UNESCO
- (C) SLA
- (D) ALA
69. First award of Ph.D in Library Science was given by the University of Delhi to
- (A) P. N. Kaula
- (B) S. R. Ranganathan
- (C) Krishna Rao
- (D) B. S. Kesavan

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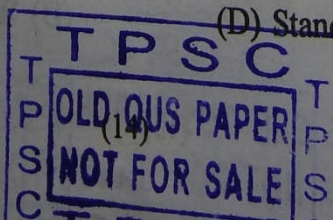


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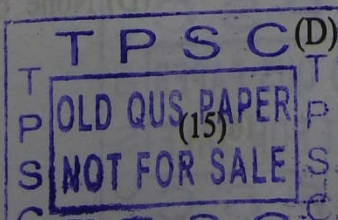
70. Which of the five laws of Library Science implies weeding of books by
- (A) First Law
 - (B) Third Law
 - (C) Fourth Law
 - (D) Fifth Law
71. Who is regarded as the father of bibliography?
- (A) Paul Otlet
 - (B) Conrad Gessner
 - (C) J. C. Brunch
 - (D) A. C. Fosket
72. ISBN consists of
- (A) 10 digits
 - (B) 13
 - (C) 8 bytes
 - (D) No digits
73. "World of learning" falls under the category of
- (A) Year book
 - (B) Hand book
 - (C) Directories
 - (D) Encyclopaedia
74. In which State of India, library legislation first came into being?
- (A) Tamilnadu
 - (B) Andhra Pradesh
 - (C) Karnataka
 - (D) None of the above
75. Which of the below noted predicable has no bearing on classification?
- (A) Genus
 - (B) Species
 - (C) Difference
 - (D) Accidents
76. What does CAS stand for in a library?
- (A) Career Advancement Scheme
 - (B) Current Awareness Service
 - (C) Current Academic Session
 - (D) None of these
77. The concept of "Documentation" is associated with a movement founded by
- (A) S. R. Ranganathan and P. C. Mahalanabis
 - (B) Paul Otlet and Henri Lafontaine
 - (C) A. C. Foskett and J. B. Horner
 - (D) W. J. Hutchins and J. L. Huxly

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78. Mesh is the name of a
(A) Medical library
(B) CSIR Unit
(C) Controlled vocabulary
(D) None of these
79. The concept of Selective Dissemination of Information (SDI) was introduced by
(A) Kaiser
(B) Luhn of IBN
(C) S. R. Ranganathan
(D) Derek Austin
80. Annals of Library Science and Documentation is published
(A) IASLIC
(B) DRTC
(C) INSDOC
(D) DESIDOC
81. Controlled vocabulary in indexing is called
(A) A Thesaurus
(B) A language dictionary
(C) A dictionary of synonym
(D) A list of subject heading
82. Who said, "Some books are to be tasted, others to be swallowed and some few to be chewed and digested"
(A) John Milton
(B) William Jones
(C) Francis Bacon
(D) Benjamin Franklin
83. The first Librarian of National Library of India was
(A) M. A. Gopinath
(B) I. K. Ravichandra Rao
(C) S. R. Ranganathan
(D) B. S. Kesavan
84. BSO in classification stands for
(A) Basic subject of organisation
(B) Broad subject ordering
(C) Bibliographic subject organisation
(D) Bibliographic subject ordering
85. ASK (Approach, Skill, Knowledge) principle is related to
(A) Classification
(B) Management
(C) ICT
(D) Standards



86. Emptying digit device is used in Colon classification to provide for
 (A) Hospitality in array
 (B) Hospitality in chain
 (C) Alternative arrangement
 (D) Flexibility
87. Placing closely related subjects in close proximity in a scheme of classification is called
 (A) Filiatory sequence
 (B) Parallel sequence
 (C) Collocation
 (D) Helpful sequence
88. The originator of "Science Citation Index" is
 (A) Eugene Gerfield
 (B) Farradane
 (C) H. P. Luhn
 (D) W. C. B. Sayers
89. The slogan "Best books in the largest number at the least cost" is said by
 (A) F. Drury
 (B) Melvil Dewey
 (C) F. W. Lancaster
 (D) S. R. Ranganathan
90. Kardex system is adopted in libraries for
 (A) Maintenance of news clipping
 (B) Maintenance of records periodicals subscription
 (C) Filing of microforms
 (D) Cataloguing of books
91. National Library for Blind and Handicapped of India is located at
 (A) Madras
 (B) Tanjore
 (C) Dehradun
 (D) Delhi
92. Sheets before and after the text book of a book are called
 (A) Endpapers
 (B) Collation
 (C) Gilding
 (D) Head bands
93. Newly acquired books are entered in
 (A) Stock Register
 (B) Book Register
 (C) Accession Register
 (D) Circulation Sheet Register



94. When a source referred to once in the footnote is referred to again and between them no other reference intervenes, then the footnote uses the abbreviation

(A) Ibid

(B) Id

(C) Op.cit

(D) Loc cit

95. Library week in India is organised every year

(A) 14th November to 20th November

(B) 12th November to 18th November

(C) 14th December to 20th December

(D) 12th December to 18th December

96. The National Library of India was declared open to public on 1st February, 1953 by

(A) Moulana Abul Kalam Azad

(B) Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru

(C) Mahatma Gandhi

(D) None of these

97. World Wide Web was first designed by

(A) Charles Babbage

(B) F. W. Lancaster

(C) Ted Nelson

(D) Tim Berner's Lee

98. Shelf list in a library is used for

(A) Stock verification

(B) Shelving of books

(C) Acquisition of books

(D) Selection of books

99. The first white paper before the title page of a book is called

(A) End papers

(B) Attach cover

(C) Fly leaf

(D) Protected paper

100. What is Delphi Method ?

(A) It is a programming language

(B) It is a method of research

(C) It is a software

(D) None of the above.

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